

## Message Text

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TAGS: CFED, EFIN, SZ  
SUBJ: TAXATION OF AMERICANS ABROAD

FOR EUR/CE HURLEY

1. THE AMBASSADOR HAS BEEN ASKED FOR HIS SUPPORT OF DEFERRAL OF THE 1976 PROVISIONS FOR AMERICANS LIVING ABROAD TO BE CONTINUED. IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED IF THE DEPT COULD TELL US WHAT POSITION IT HAS TAKEN ON THIS QUESTION AS WELL AS THE POSITION OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

2. WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE GAO HAS BEEN CONDUCTING A STUDY OUTSIDE SWITZERLAND ON THIS QUESTION. WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE FOR REPS OF GAO TO COME TO SWITZERLAND FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH SWISS-AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TAX COMMITTEE?

3. IF ACTING ASST SECY OF TREAS FOR TAX POLICY IS GOING TO BE IN EUROPE, WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF HE COULD INCLUDE SWITZERLAND IN HIS ITINERARY. PLEASE CHECK TO SEE WHETHER THIS IS POSSIBLE.  
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